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Man Sentenced For Fatal Stabbing at Motel

A 56-year-old man was sentenced today to 25 years to life in state prison after pleading no contest to fatally stabbing another man at a motel two years ago, the Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office announced.

Oscar Bridges entered his plea to one count of first-degree murder and was immediately sentenced by Los Angeles County Superior Court Commissioner Barbara McDaniel.

Deputy District Attorney Frank Dunnick prosecuted the case.

Bridges stabbed 21-year-old Robert Brewer with a kitchen knife at a motel on South Vermont Avenue on Jan. 23, 2014. The victim suffered a total of 17 sharp-force injuries and died at the scene, Dunnick said.

The case was investigated by the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department.

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Los Angeles County District Attorney Jackie Lacey leads the largest local prosecutorial office in the nation. Her staff of nearly 1,000 attorneys, 300 investigators and 800 support staff members is dedicated to protecting our community through the fair and ethical pursuit of justice and the safeguarding of crime victims' rights.